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LETTER FROM GEORGE O. BARNE

250 RAWSON ST., ATLANTA, GA.)

APRIL 23, 1888.]

DEAR INTERIOR.—While we were at Mississippi City, pondering our next move, and wondering whether the dear LORD would direct our wandering footsteps, came the invitation from old and tried friends to visit this capital of Georgia. And at the same time, the favorable railroad excursions rates to Pensacola which from Miss. City were only one-fourth the usual fare, for return tickets. This decided us, on economic grounds, to return to that city, hoping to exchange our return tickets for similar ones to Atlanta. So, without the least wish or effort in the matter, we saw after all, the regatta we had turned our backs upon ten days before. At least all we cared to see; for the four happy days we spent in the most delightful place we have found in the Southern country were passed, for the most part, cruising about the lovely bay; visiting old and new points; and inhaling as much more of the salubrious salt air as our lungs could take in. We had Capt. Jack and the Phantom Tuesday. On Wednesday another worthy "salt"—name forgotten—and the Frances A., a fleet little sloop, that took 2d. money in one of the races, subsequently; and on Thursday we went sailing in our own Capt. Peterson's schooner, The Two Brothers, which wound up our cruising with the most charming day on the water I ever spent. Friday we came away. We saw the North Atlantic Squadron of five war vessels; went aboard the Atlanta, which made us feel as if America had a bit of navy left, after all, and found on board, in one of her officers, a Frankfort gentleman, who knew lots of people we knew, and made us feel quite at home at once. Lieut. Bacon longs to get back to that pleasant city among the Kentucky hills, and looked quite home-sick as we chatted of mutual acquaintances and friends. Mr. Pendleton, the "navigator," as the whilom sailing-master is now denominated, was our chaperone in inspecting the Atlanta, and made everything plain to our land-lubberly ignorance; and all in the most intelligent and gentlemanly way. A wonderful world, in itself, is a modern ship of war; only to be appreciated when seen. What we most marvelled at in the Atlanta were her great breech-loading guns, that took 130 pounds of powder at charge to fire them; the beautiful rifled interiors shining like plate glass, without a speck or flaw; and the wondrous complications of delicately adjusted machinery that prevented that 130 pounds of powder from coming out at the wrong end. Amazing, too, were the lesser engines of attack and defense, the Hotchkiss rifled guns; fired from the shoulder and worked with a finger trigger, yet sending six-pound shell and fixed on pivot. Then, the well-known Gatling, with a maximum capacity of firing 1,200 balls a minute. And the armor-clad pilot-house, where the helmsman looked out from his impregnable perch through half-inch slits in the thick iron jacket, that guarded this indispensable portion of the great fighting-machine. This ship cost our Uncle Samuel one million and a quarter dollars, plus; and is remembered as one of the bones of contention between the naval authorities and Roach, the great contractor, some years ago; in which the latter went to the wall in bankruptcy and soon after died.

We attended nothing of the regatta sports, but saw in our constant cruising around the bay, much of the pretty sailing of the various vessels. The sealing matches; the shooting; the this, that, and the other, we did not care to look at and did not go to see. But we had a delightful re-visit and the dear LORD gave us the loveliest imaginable weather all the time. Pensacola continues our "first choice," till we run across some place more attractive.

Our dear Capt. Peterson was as good and kind as ever, though, being "chief cook and bottle-washer" at the regatta, and overwhelmed with duties connected with "entertaining strangers," he had but little leisure to accompany us in our expeditions. Thursday's jaunt was the best of all. The wind was fresh and the waves ran rather high; but the captain's staunch schooner was equal to the occasion and bore us gallantly up the bay, to the oyster banks; where the bivalves are captured, to be afterwards planted in beds elsewhere, to grow and fatten under the most favorable circumstances. We anchored in six feet of water, and plied the oyster rakes, of which we had two on board. The whole party in turn drew up oysters, of which the finest were selected for dinner, and the smaller laid away for planting in Chico Bay. Tea and coffee we made on board, and with bread and crackers made a royal feast, with hunger for sauce piquante. We came home by the glorious moonlight, singing happily, till the Two Brothers bumped her nose against the pier and we disembarked.

Our run to Atlanta was very pleasant. Leaving Pensacola at 10 p.m., we came on the L. & N. express to Montgomery, Ala., where we lay in our sleepers from 7 p.m. till midnight. Then by the Alabama Western to Atlanta, by 7 the next morning.

Westrolled through Montgomery by the light of a brilliant moon; walked up to the capital, which has a grand location on a hill-top, and an aureole above its dome, in the shape of a circlet of electric lights, that gave the finest possible effect.

Montgomery may indeed be described as the electric city. Its streets glare with incandescent Brush burners; and the street cars go on their way, sputtering with electric sparks, that burst out from the highly charged wheels as they roll along the metal rails underneath; and snapping in yet other brilliant pyrotechnics overhead, where the connecting rod touches the wires, through which the motive power is furnished. The whole thing looked to my inexperienced eye dreadfully uncanny; and I should not like to ride upon so perilous a vehicle, lest some of that surcharged fullness should communicate itself to the passengers. It may be very safe, but it looks dangerous.

Montgomery by moonlight and electric impressed us immensely. We wound up our stroll with ice-cream and retired to our sleepers, healthily weary with the long walk up and down her broad streets. An attractive place, I should say; with what limited knowledge I have of it.

We are guests of Judge Hook, State School Commissioner, and recently of Augusta, Georgia. He is husband of an old friend of our gospel, Mrs. Mays, of Lexington, Ky. They live in a charming quarter of this beautiful city and entertain like Blue-Grass Kentuckians. Nothing more can be added to this description of our present home. Good Sister Carty, Mrs. Hook's mother, also from Lexington, is now on a visit to her daughter and two more enthusiastic lovers of the gospel of "Love and Nothing Else" you could not find in this country or any other.

But beautiful Atlanta shall not be introduced at the close of a letter. She is worthy of an epistle all to herself, and shall have it, D. V. We hold services in the court-house.

Ever in Jesus, GEO. O. BARNE.

In compliance with the inexorable demands of the financial situation, President Cleveland in his third annual message, strenuously urged upon the attention of Congress the imperative necessity of reducing the national revenues. In accordance with the creed, traditions and pledges of his party, he urged a reduction of tariff taxation rather than the repeal of internal taxes. Circumstances which no man or set of men created, but which occurred in the natural order of political events, have made Mr. Cleveland the candidate of his party. The message, therefore, became as soon as delivered the platform of the candidate and party in the Presidential campaign. It became so irrevocably and was thus accepted by the country. The Post believes that in the matter and in the manner of that message demonstrated that he possessed great political sagacity and comprehensive Statesmanship.—[Washington Post.]

MADISON.—The court of claims appropriated \$19,000 for turnpikes and \$8,500 for general purposes. This makes the two together 25 cents tax on the \$100 worth of property, which with 10 cents for the K. C. R. R., and the State tax of 42 cents, makes the entire amount 77 cents, the smallest amount required with one exception, for many years. The poll tax is placed at \$2 per head. Bonds to the amount of \$11,000 and coupons of \$38,230 were taken in and destroyed, leaving the bonded indebtedness \$40,000.—[Register.]

A woman will sit on her foot for three straight hours and enjoy it, but if her husband happens to get on her foot for one short second she makes the air about her turn blue. This proves that woman is obstinate.—[Yonkers Statesman.]

THE GIRL AND THE BICYCLE.—A girl may laugh and a girl may sing, and a girl may dance all day; but she can't mount a bicycle like a man, for her garments ain't made that way.—[New York Star.]

Being More Pleasant

To the taste, more acceptable to the stomach, and more truly beneficial in its action, the famous California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, is rapidly superseding all others. Try it. One bottle will prove its merits.

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FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Watermelons are on the market in South Florida.

—Green Morris has sold Sir Dixon to the Dwyer Bros., for \$20,000.

—Jim Beazley bought of Dick Burton, of Garrard, a young gelding for \$120.

—P. P. Nunnelley bought in Pulaski 40 head of 3 and 4-year-old cattle at \$3.

—J. W. Givens shipped to A. L. McCleod, of Missouri, a fine jack for \$450.

—Cut-worms completely destroyed a 90-acre field of clover in Christian county.

—At the sale of the Cliff Lawn Kennel yearlings, at Gallatin, Tenn., 29 head brought an average of \$510.

—Capt. P. C. Kidd sold 16 yearling colts at Lexington Tuesday to Illinois parties at an average of \$160.

—A Columbia paper tells of the death of a hen at 14 years of age; which by actual count laid 630 eggs during her day.

—Heavy frosts are reported from Eastern Virginia, the damage in the neighborhood of Norfolk being placed at \$750,000.

—L. L. Dorsey, Jr., the noted trotting horse breeder of Jefferson county and the founder of the Goldust family, is dead.

—Wool is worth in our markets 22 cents, and lambs are worth 6 cents for 1st of June delivery, and 5 cents for the 1st of July.—[Harrodsburg Democrat.]

—Dick Warren is proud over the fact that the mare, Rowena Webb Russell, that he sold to E. D. Kennedy has just dropped a horse colt by Sandidge's Second Jewell that is as fine as silk.

—Col. Clark will be deserving of a vote of thanks if he persists in his determination to keep those highway robbers, the book-makers, out of the Jockey Club Grounds and it looks like he will.

—Spears & Stuart bought 750 bushels of blue-grass seed this week, from Sam King, at 35 cents per bushel. S. F. Martin sold to Headley & Hudson, 70 yearling mare mules for \$7,840. These were the best in the State.—[Paris News.]

MT. VERNON, ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

—R. G. Sutton shows an old coin dated 1720.

—Get your clothing at Thompson's and save 20 per cent.

—Our place will soon have a barber shop and a pool table.

—Daniel Owens and Miss Cherry were married here Saturday.

—The young folks took an excursion to "big hill" and caves Sunday.

—The family of T. H. Clay, who have been boarding at the Newcomb Hotel for the last two years, have moved to Brodhead.

—Log Thompson says the man that put snake in his pocket was deceived. Log ain't afraid of 'em, he's seen too many.

—Thos. Cherry, of Brodhead, who has been in West Virginia for the last three months, is at home on a visit. He reports a successful trip.

—The officers in sending a message from here last week to Tazewell, Tenn., via Morristown, had to pay \$6 to have it carried 28 miles by hand. The telegraph carried it 600 miles for 50 cents.

—We have no official information on the subject, but understand that Squire Childers held Tip and Henry Langford over to Circuit Court at their trial at Brush Creek Saturday for attempting to kill Jack Adams here last Monday.

—During one of the cold days of last week three goslings belonging to the family of G. W. McClure were put in a bed with four young kittens. The mother cat taking a notion to change her quarters next day carried the kittens upstairs and afterwards returned and carried up the goslings.

—Thibmas Owens, who is wanted at Tazewell, Tenn., for murder, and for whom bailiffs, offering a good reward were posted throughout this region last week, was arrested at Conway. He was brought here and held under guard until the Tennessee authorities could be heard from. A telegram informed the officers here that Owens had been arrested at Hyden. The prisoner here was immediately released. He proved to be what he claimed when arrested, the noted Adair county moonshiner, Ed Lodgens, who successfully resisted and eluded the U. S. Marshals for more than two years and afterward walked to Louisville and surrendered. He was on his way to Harlan county when detained here.

—Lee F. Huffman,

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—**NOTICE!**

TO THE CITIZENS OF LINCOLN COUNTY.

Having recently equipped a fine Roller Mill in the town of Stanford that is deft and Mill to equal in quality and power, we think the citizens of Lincoln County should have county pride enough to patronize and sustain the same. We wish to inform them that we are in the market to buy your wheat and corn and will always give the highest price for the same. We have added some new machinery to our corn meal department and can now make meal to suit any in this vicinity. We solicit a trial in our flour and meal department. All having grain in our line will be given a trial. The Mill is open for business and agent will be found at all times, who will give the best prices for same. Bran and shipstuf always in stock.

—W. N. POTTS, Supt., Stanford Roller Mill Co.

—**NOTICE OF INCORPORATION.**

The undersigned, Craig Lynn, C. M. Jones, James Dudderar, W. T. Tucker and John G. Lynn have associated themselves together to become incorporated in a stock company under the corporate name of the Standard and Otteheim Turnpike Road Company.

The business to be conducted is the building maintenance and construction of a McAdams turnpike road from the Standard and Halls Gap Turnpike Road to Otteheim.

The principal place of business shall be Stanford, Lincoln county, Ky.

The corporation shall commence on the 15th day of May, 1888, and terminate on the 15th day of May, 1898.

The authorized capital stock is to be fifteen thousand dollars, which shall be paid at such times and in such amounts, and upon such terms as the Board of Directors shall prescribe.

The affairs of the corporation are to be managed by a board of five Directors, one of whom shall be selected as president by the board; and such directors shall be elected on the first Saturday in June of each year, and shall serve for one year next ensuing their election. Said board shall elect a clerk and treasurer.

The highest amount of indebtedness to which this corporation may at any time subject itself shall not exceed one thousand dollars.

The stockholders shall be exempt from the corporate debts.

Craig Lynn, C. M. Jones, James Dudderar, W. T. Tucker, John G. Lynn.

—**JESSE J. THOMPSON,** Stanford, Ky.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—The many friends of A. J. Flyshaker regret to learn that he will actually leave Kentucky.

—Mr. Taylor Saunders, a former Garrard county man, has been sent to the penitentiary from Madison for grand larceny.

—Terra Cotta will probably run at Nashville next Tuesday. Here's looking at him and I hope he will carry the colors of Guest and Walker to victory.

—Mr. R. H. Fox and family will shortly leave Lancaster for Stanford and will make the latter place their future home. I commend them to the citizens of Stanford.

—Garrard county will present to the world before five years the finest lot of trotters ever bred in the blue-grass country. We have the sires and the dams and we are bound to raise the flyers.

—Farmers in town Saturday reported the almost entire failure of the tobacco plant crop. The indications point to about one-fourth of a crop this year. The lovers of the weed had best lay in a supply.

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FOR SALE | A small stock of goods and a good location in a country store. Address Country Store, Care W. P. Walton, Stanford, Ky. [18]

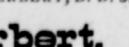
FOR SALE | At A. P. Van de Waers' farm, Shoots, Pigs and Sows bred to his pedigree boar; also the boar and some cord wood.

THOMAS D. NEWLAND

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W. P. WALTON.

In common with all the people of this "grand old Commonwealth," we have been hoping and praying that next Saturday would see the last of the infamous set at Frankfort, who for five months have been depleting the treasury at the rate of \$1,000 a day, but it seems that our prayers will not avail because we asked amiss.

The impious, shallow-pated \$5-a-day grabbers are devising all kinds of ways and means to prolong their pay and they will likely find a pretext to do so. One of the excuses is for Gov. Buckner to catch up with the business, but that is too gauzy. He has always been up with it and standing with his club to knock in the head everything of a pernicious nature that the disreputable body has inflicted on a long suffering public.

THE Indiana democrats did their work in a most commendable manner. A strong platform of principles was adopted and Cleveland was endorsed both for his splendid administration and for re-election, with his tariff reduction message as the platform. Gov. Gray was recommended for vice-president and a full ticket for State officers nominated, headed by Courtland C. Matson for governor and W. R. Myers for lieutenant governor. The unanimity and brotherly love manifested all through the convention settles Indiana to the democracy and entirely eliminates any minimum of doubt that may have heretofore attached to her politically.

Besides the duty of appointing delegates to the State Convention, which meets at Lexington on the 16th, and signifying its preference for delegates to the National Convention, which meets in St. Louis June 5th, the county convention called to meet at the Court-House here next Saturday at 1 o'clock, will have to appoint a county committee. The old one has served, if not faithfully, at least long enough, and it is high time for a new deal all around. We hope active, earnest organizers will be chosen, who have the interests of the democratic party alone at heart.

SENATOR CLAY's resolution to investigate the L. & N. lobby is taking up much time and accomplishing little good. He is foolish enough and perhaps venal enough to charge that the State press has been subsidized because it is almost unanimously opposed to the worthless commission, which does nothing but draw the salaries they are incapable of earning. It is the height of folly to expect a set of men appointed for purely political purposes, and who know no more about a railroad than a hog does of holiday, to do any more, however.

The Glasgow Times speaks of our man Bradley as "the bandy-legged and bay-windowed Statesman from Garrard." If Bro. Richardson does not wish to offend one of his best friends he will not use such language in the future in speaking of Brer. Bradley. The appellation fits him exactly, but it is a very tender subject and Billy and we are very touchous about it. Those legs have always been a drawback to him for with them he stands no more chance in a race than a bench-legged fice does with a greyhound.

COL. SWORE says he may get left as a delegate to the National Convention for the State at large, but he had rather be than make himself a party to any foolish movement or one dangerous to the success of his party. He will not attend the State Convention because his presence will be considered in personal opposition to the Bradley move, which would not be true. He nevertheless thinks that a rock should be tied to Billy's tail.

J. A. CRAFT, Esq., of London, wishes to be one of the district electors in the 8th and we take it that our people will be glad to honor the rising young lawyer, who is the trustee of democrats. If chosen he will make a thorough canvass of the district and in eloquent terms discuss the imperishable principles of the party he has done so much to uphold in his section, notoriously republican.

OLD SADDLEBAGS McDONALD, of Indiana, seems to have outlined any usefulness that he may have been to his kind and party. He tried to raise dissension in the councils of the assembled democrats, but they very considerately let the old man have his say and then did the opposite of what he advised. The old man ought to see that his day has passed.

THE Kentucky State Teachers Association certainly picked an interesting place for their meeting this year. It will be at Mammoth Cave July 3-5, when the railroads, the hotel and the cave will give half rates. Every teacher in the State ought to attend if for no other reason than to see the greatest natural curiosity in the world.

The Louisville Times speaks of "succoring" tobacco. Wouldn't succuring be the better word? It helps the weed, to be sure, to take off the suckers, but we think that the latter word would be the better to express the act.

THE Standard Oil Trust is the most powerful monopoly of this day of monopolies. It controls over 75 per cent. of all the oil business and each share of its \$90,000,000 in stock is worth a premium of \$60, making the total market value of the trust \$144,000,000. On this tremendous amount it earned 13 per cent. last year and paid a dividend of 7 per cent. Its affairs are now being investigation by a Congressional committee.

We had no idea we were so pretty till after reading Mr. Clarence E. Woods' description in the last Register. It almost makes us blush behind our fan to read it. You oughtn't to make sport of an old man, my boy. The bears ate up a lot of kids once, the bible tells us, because they made fun of a bald-headed individual.

THE Secretary of the Treasury purchased 4 per cent. government bonds last week to the amount of \$3,775,650 at a saving of interest of \$865,984. They cost a premium of 25 to 25½, which tho' high is less than their market value and is a much better investment of the surplus than to let it lie idle in the vaults.

EIGHT votes were sent in Friday by Gov. Buckner of vicious bills passed by that disgraceful body known as the Kentucky Legislature. We are told that the grand old gentleman rarely goes to bed at all, so determined is he that nothing shall escape his eagle eye at this favorite time for the working of jobs.

THE Louisville Truth, edited by that prodigy of journalism, Benjamin Ridgely, has purchased the Sunday News, which ceased to exist with its issue of the 22d. The Truth is a daisy and the most prosperous Sunday paper since the halcyon days of the old Argus.

JUDGE OWNSLEY explains that the I. O. U. held by Tate against him for \$25 was a private transaction between them, which he thought was settled long ago, as since it was given in 1876, he had had \$20,000 paid him by the treasurer for services to the State.

THE republican cohorts will meet at Louisville to-morrow, endorse Billy O'Bradley for the vice presidency, resolve again the democracy and go home feeling that they have played the devil.

THERE are negroes both on the grand and petit juries of Judge Morrow's court at Somerset. We do not admire the innovation, but they cannot prove much worse than the average juror.

LEGISLATIVE DOINGS.

Bullitt is a prohibition county and yet the House 36 to 24 passed a bill to permit the sale of liquors four months in the year at Paroquet Springs.

Mr. Rigney called up House bill 1742 Friday, repealing acts amending acts incorporating the Hustonville and Coffeyville Turnpike. Adverse report and bill rejected.

The new road bill, applicable to this county, of which a synopsis was given in our last issue, has passed the House. It is a substitute for and repeals the first gotten up by Lawyer Davison.

The House passed the bill to change the Board of Equalization law, so that the governor appoints a member from each appellate district. The republicans wanted to make the members elective, but signal failed.

The bills to increase the salaries of the Secretary of State and Treasurer to \$2,500 and \$3,500 respectively was killed in the House 44 to 27. The Secretary ought certainly to be paid more than the pififul \$1,500 that he is. The Senate had passed the bill 22 to 8.

Both Houses have passed a bill for the appointment of three commissioners to take charge of and properly settle the unadmitted vouchers, receipts, checks, postal currency, postal orders, promissory notes, due bills and other papers and evidences of indebtedness to the Commonwealth left in the treasury by Tate, Attorney General Hardin, W. P. D. Bush and another man are to be appointed.

NEWS CONDENSED.

Lebanon will vote on the question of water-works, May 12.

In Barnesville, Ga., liquor license has been fixed at \$3,000.

Three men were legally executed at Fort Smith, Ark., Friday.

All but 56 of the 2,200 Cincinnati saloons observed the closing law Sunday.

George Dunham was hung at Woodbury, N. J., for the murder of his mother-in-law.

Murphy is so pleased with his work in Louisville that he will remain till next Sunday.

The hangman got in his good work on six murderers in various parts of the country Friday.

Miss Holly Sheldon, of Graves county, Ky., is said to have gone without food for 56 days.

D. G. Edwards becomes assistant general passenger agent of the Cincinnati Southern to-day.

At Galesburg, Ill., a new fireman killed a Brotherhood engineer and fireman, who assaulted him.

Charles Snyder, aged 12 years, hanged himself at Grove City, Pa., because his mother whipped him.

Rev. Edgar L. Heermann, who had had a disagreement with his church, shot himself to death in his pulpit in a Presbyterian church on Broadway in New York Sunday.

J. C. Rogers, who had just completed a new hotel at Jellico, died Saturday.

Construction trains on the Lake Shore road collided near Milwaukee and ten laborers were killed.

The Cincinnati Southern claims the biggest engine in the South. It has just arrived and weighs 101,500 pounds.

Edward Head, a new brakeman from Richmond, Va., fell from his train at Gates' Station on the C. & O. and was killed.

The Louisvilles won three straight games off the Kansas Citys. That temerity pledge seems to be having its effect.

Henry George, late labor candidate for mayor of New York, has come out squarely for Cleveland in his paper, the Standard.

John Rucker, colored, was given two years at Somerset for confessed assault on a young white girl with intent to commit rape.

Mrs. James Cozine of High Bridge, who had just given birth to twins, has become a raving maniac and been taken to the asylum.

Wm. Hayden, a farmer living in Madison, was chloroformed in his house and robbed of several hundred dollars Thursday night.

G. Hall, a brakeman, got a verdict of \$25,000 damages against the Louisville and Nashville Railroad at Mobile, Ala. for the loss of a foot.

A train on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad, near White House, N. Y., was ditched, killing four and wounding 35 passengers.

Ellen, a 13-year-old daughter of J. T. Johnson, a prominent citizen of London, while handling some fire had her clothes to catch and burn off her.

The floor gave way at a school exhibition at Rushsylvania, O., and hundreds of persons were precipitated 20 feet, killing many and wounding scores of others.

Near O'Fallon, Mo., Ernest Gleschutte shot and killed his wife and eldest son, beat his youngest son until he became insensible, and then killed himself.

General Joseph E. Johnson, highest in rank of the living officers of the Confederate army, has been elected an honorary member of a Philadelphia G. A. R. Post.

Pratt, Kansas, suffered its second cyclone this spring, Friday, when a lady was killed and several persons seriously wounded. A number of houses were demolished.

Hiram Kauffman, butcher at the Eastern Kentucky Lunatic Asylum, Lexington, has disappeared. The anxious father and brother of a ruined daughter are looking for him.

Sally Thompson, a 15-year-old colored girl, in a fit of jealousy, stabbed Walter Jesse, also colored, in the heart, in Louisville Sunday evening, causing his death in a few minutes.

Kimble, Russell county, is a new postoffice and Daniel Wilson has been made postmaster. John McKechnie has been appointed at Bronston, Pulaski, in place of Robert A. McKee.

The Monticello Signal has changed its name to The Democrat. John W. Duncan has been nominated by the democrats for sheriff. J. B. Crawford's residence, valued at \$4,000, burned.

The Louisville Southern ran its first train to Shelbyville Friday and took 1,000 free excursionists thither. The road will be in operation to Harrodsburg Junction, "Verchamp," in a few weeks.

Dr. Thomas J. Hourigan shot and killed his brother-in-law, Sam Hays, at Riley, Marion county, Saturday, in a quarrel over \$2.50. Hourigan fled after the deed, but subsequently surrendered and was placed in the Lebanon jail.

The Hon. Samuel H. Miller, temporary chairman of the Pennsylvania Republican Convention, is now being read out of his party because of his courage in declaring that the attempt to revive the bloody shirt was a brutal blunder.

Secretary Whitney wined and dined 400 persons on a grand junket from Washington to Philadelphia, the occasion being the launching at the latter place of the Yorktown and Vesuvius. Miss Eleanor, daughter of W. C. P. Breckinridge, christened the former.

Mrs. A. H. Ishmael, of Bourbon, has just been tapped the 15th time since January 28, 1886, for abdominal dropsy, and has had extracted from her an aggregate of 165 gallons of fluid, 10 pounds to the gallon, or 1,650 pounds. She has been tapped three times in the last three months.

M. G. Aldridge, a prominent merchant living in Garrard, near what is termed Grove Church, assigned Friday morning for the benefit of his creditors. Liabilities about \$3,000; assets unknown, but supposed to be very small. The failure has caused some comment, as Mr. Aldridge was well and favorably known.

Miss McCray and Miss Davenport, belles of Mercer county, settled the rivalry that naturally existed between them according to prize ring rules, in a ten-foot fence corner. Miss McCray, it appears, was knocked out and to get even brought suit for damages. The jury at Harrodsburg Friday awarded her one cent.

Ex-State Senator Ben Robbins, who has been going from bad to worse for several years, attempted to destroy his life at his home in Denver, Col., during a fit of delirium brought on by over indulgence in stimulants. Mr. Robbins was recently appointed Assistant United States District Attorney for Colorado and left his home in LaGrange only a few weeks ago to enter upon his new duties.

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MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

Mr. Rutherford Blanton, son of Dr. L. H. Blanton, and Miss Laurine Shaeffer, were married at Richmond last week.

We have it pretty straight that there will be another marriage in town tonight, when a widower and a young lady will unite their destinies.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mr. E. B. Beazley received a dispatch Friday that his daughter, Miss Lizzie, who has been attending college at Fort Scott, Kas., was dead. She had been sick of typhoid fever for six weeks.

Her mother went thither as soon as she learned of her condition and was by her side ministering to her every need until the last. Miss Lizzie was about 16 years old and was a remarkably bright and winsome girl. She had early given her heart to her Maker and was a true child of God.

It is like tearing out their heart strings for her loving parents to give her up, but being christians themselves they can find consolation in the belief that He doth all things well. The remains arrived Saturday night and on Sunday were laid to rest in the Lancaster Cemetery after a sermon by Elder J. W. Yancy.

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Prescriptions filled at all hours by a competent pharmacist.

Special Announcement.

Having consolidated our business of DRUGS and GROCERIES, we are now prepared to furnish the West End with the purest Drugs to be obtained, also Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Stationary, Tobacco, Cigars and a full line of Family Groceries and Supplies always on hand. Produce of all kinds is as good as cash.

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READ:

The following list of goods, suitable for this time of year, and buy them of me and get the best:

CANNED GOODS.

California Peaches,

" " Apricots,

Dried Peaches,

Turkish Prunes,

Cooking Figs,

Mince Meat,

Apple Butter,

Preserves,

Mackerel in Buckets,

Cod Fish,

White Fish,

Hominy,

Dried Beans,

Bulk Pickles,

Bottle Pickles,

Catsup,

Prepared Mustard, &c., &c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Cal. Evap. Peaches,

" " Apricots,

Raspberries,

Grated Pineapple,

Sliced Pineapple,

Early June Peas,

Lima Beans,

Pie Peaches,

Corn,

Tomatoes,

Oysters,

Salmon,

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Buy your school books, ink, tablets, paper, pencils and school supplies of all kinds from A. R. Penny.

I guarantee all watches and every article of jewelry I sell to be just as represented. A. R. Penny.

SOMEWHAT PERSONAL.

JOEL EMBRY is quite ill with something like pneumonia.

MISS ANNIE DUNN has taken Miss Hallie Welsh's place at the College.

MRI. AND MRS. GEO. D. WEAREN have returned from a visit to Kirksville.

MISS ALMA HAYS has gone to visit her brother, Mr. Will Hays, in Garrard.

MISS MARY WALKER, of Garrard, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Hays.

MISS MINNIE VAN AESDALE, of Harrodsburg, was the guest of Mrs. Abe McRoberts.

MR. T. M. JOHNSON and wife, of Harrodsburg, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

MRS. CATH BAILEY returned Saturday from a visit to Lexington, Shelbyville and Louisville.

MISS ANNIE ALCOCK is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kimbrick, of Somerset.

MISS EUGENIA PULLIAM and Elma Baker, of the Shelby City neighborhood, were guests of Miss Nellie Gaines.

MRS. SPENCER, of Winchester, mother of Miss Annie Spencer, formerly of the College faculty, is on a visit to Prof. A. S. Paxton.

MR. J. H. WEALEN, a relative of Miss Carrie Lee Mays, the very accomplished music teacher at the College, has been on a visit to her.

MRS. COOK AND TUCKER, of West End, were the guests of their sweethearts, Misses—you can guess who if you know the fine taste of the gentlemen.

MR. AND MRS. J. P. RIFFE, of the West End, were here yesterday. Mrs. Riffe, who has been a great sufferer from catarrh, has nearly been restored to health.

MESSES. HILL, Welch, Warren and Alcorn have gone to Somerset to appear on the one side or the other in the Wallace Carpenter trial, which will begin the third time to-day.

THE Hustonville Turnpike Company ought to be able to declare a big dividend next time. A certain young banker has added much to its earnings while a certain young lady has been staying here.

MR. AND MRS. MARK HARDIN arrived Sunday and have taken rooms at Capt. McKinney's. They look very happy and as the Louisville Commercial says Mark is as contented with life as a billy goat is licking a fresh circus poster off a new plank fence.

MR. J. E. PATRICK, of Jackson, a sort of a postoffice inspector, was seeing after the office here for a couple of days. He pronounces it in a first-class condition and the best kept of any he knows of, and yet it is said he wants to remove one of its keepers.

HON. T. P. HILL, Jr., who has been stationed at Waukeeney, Kansas, has been complimented by the government requesting him to go to Buffalo, Wyoming, to assist in organizing a land office and he will go thither. Mrs. Lucy will not accompany him, but will visit relatives here and go there later on.

MR. AND MRS. R. G. HAILE will leave to-morrow for Somerset, where Mr. Haile will take the position of teller in the Somerset Banking Company, which begins business there on the 3d. The young people regret to part with the couple but are satisfied the move is for the best, as Mr. Haile will stand a much better chance of promotion than in the Banks here, where the officers seldom die and never resign.

LOCAL LORE.

STRAWBERRIES TO-MORROW. S. S. Myers.

PLANTS OF ALL KINDS AT O. J. Newlands.

WALL PAPER, CARPETS, &c., AT OWSLEY & CRAIG'S.

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BEAUTIFUL SPRING HATS AND BONNETS AT COURTS & COX'S.

HOUSE FOR RENT ON THE 10TH OF MAY FOR SMALL FAMILY. DR. J. F. PEYTON.

SEE THE ROSS PATENT REFRIGERATOR—it's the boss. Metcalf & Foster.

IT IS SNOWING UP IN MINNESOTA AND COOLER WEATHER MAY BE EXPECTED TO-DAY.

SEE COURTS & COX'S ELEGANT LINE OF SPRING AND SUMMER HATS BEFORE BUYING.

ORIENTAL LACES, HAMBURG AND SWISS EDGINGS, FLOUNCEMENTS, &c., AT OWSLEY & CRAIG'S.

PANTS PATTERNS AND A GENERAL LINE OF GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS AT OWSLEY & CRAIG'S.

NEW LOT OF EVERYTHING IN THE SPRING GOODS LINE JUST RECEIVED AT S. H. SHANKS'. CALL IN AND EXAMINE THEM.

A. R. PENNY HAS BOUGHT OF J. E. BRUCE HIS LOT ON LANCASTER STREET FOR \$1,000, AND WILL BUILD A NICE RESIDENCE ON IT DURING THE SUMMER.

THE NEGRO BOY, IKE LOGAN, WAS ACCUSED OF ROBBING ANOTHER NEGRO OF 35 CENTS, BUT WAS PUT ON THE ROCK-PILE 30 DAYS FOR CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPONS.

BARRIERS WILL BE AGAIN OPENED IN HARRODSBURG, JUDGE RUSSELL HAVING DECIDED THAT THE ELECTION HELD ON THE QUESTION OF LOCAL OPTION WAS IRREGULAR AND CONSEQUENTLY ILLEGAL.

BEGINNING TO-DAY THE L. & N. WILL SELL ROUND-TRIP TICKETS TO THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION AT LOUISVILLE, GOOD TO THE 5TH FOR 14 FARES. THE C. & O. WILL SELL SIMILAR TICKETS TO INDIVIDUALS AT 4 CENTS A MILE AND TO PARTIES OF 15 AND OVER FOR ONE FARE.

THE NEGRO BOY, WILLIAM WHITLEY, WHO HAS BEEN SUBJECT TO FITS FOR YEARS, FELL IN THE FIRE FRIDAY NIGHT AND BURNED HIS FACE FRIGHTENINGLY. HE WAS BROUGHT BEFORE THE COURT SATURDAY AND ADJUDGED OF UNSOUND MIND. THERE BEING NO ROOM IN THE ASYLUM HE HAS TO BE TAKEN CARE OF IN JAIL.

AFTER A HOTLY CONTESTED ELECTION MADISON COUNTY VOTED SATURDAY BY 700 MAJORITY TO SUBSCRIBE FOR THE LOUISVILLE SOUTHERN. RICHMOND GAVE 900 IN ITS FAVOR. SOME OF THE HEAVIEST TAX-PAYERS OPPOSED IT AND IT IS SAID THAT NEXT VOTES WERE IN DEMAND AT AS HIGH A FIGURE AS \$20.

D. KLAAS, THE ENTERPRISING MAIN STREET MERCHANT, HAS ENGAGED THE GOLD AND SILVER BAND FOR A CONCERT EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT FOR 10 WEEKS, IN FRONT OF HIS STORE. HE IS HAVING ERECTED A STAND FOR THE PURPOSE WHICH CAN BE EASILY PUT UP AND TAKEN DOWN. THE CONCERTS WILL BE GIVEN EACH NIGHT AT ABOUT 7 O'CLOCK.

BILLY GOOCHELL TELLS US THAT HE HAD A CHANCE TO GIVE BIRTH TO TWIN LAMBS ONE DAY LAST WEEK AND THREE DAYS afterwards TO ANOTHER, ALL STILL LIVING AND LOOKING HAIRY AND HEARTY. TO THOSE WHO DOUBT THIS STATEMENT WE HAVE ONLY TO SAY THAT UNCLE BILLY'S WORD IS AS GOOD AS HIS BOND AND THE LATTER IS WORTH A PREMIUM.

KANSAS SALT.—ELDER JOS. BALLON GAVE US A SAMPLE OF THE SALT MADE AT HUTCHISON, KANSAS, SENT OUT WITH THE COMPLIMENTS OF THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK, OF WHICH HIS RELATIVE, F. R. CHRISMAN, IS CASHIER. IT IS BEAUTIFULLY WHITE AND AS FINE AS THE BEST TABLE SALT. THREE COMPANIES ARE OPERATING THERE, WITH A COMBINED CAPACITY OF 6,300 BARRELS A DAY.

TWO FOR A NICK.—A PRETTY YOUNG LADY FROM THE COUNTRY CALLED AT ONE OF THE STORES IN TOWN LAST WEEK AND INQUIRED THE PRICE OF MATCHES. "TWO FOR A NICKEL" WAS THE RESPONSE, MEANING OF COURSE TWO BOXES, BUT THE LADY DID NOT TAKE IT THAT WAY AND REPLIED, "YOU ARE AWFULLY HIGH. I CAN BUY A WHOLE BOX AT MR. SO-AND-SO'S FOR A NICKEL!" AND SHE SAILED TO A CHEAPER ESTABLISHMENT.

THE 33D ANNUAL MEETING OF THE KENTUCKY STATE MEDICAL SOCIETY WILL BE HELD AT CRAB ORCHARD SPRINGS, COMMENCING JULY 11TH, INSTEAD OF THE 4TH, AS FIRST FIXED. TITLES OF ALL PAPERS TO BE OFFERED MUST BE FILED WITH PERMANENT SECRETARY STEELE BAILEY, STANFORD, ON OR BEFORE THE 15TH OF JUNE. THE SPRINGS COMPANY WILL MAKE REDUCED RATES TO THE MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

ROBBERY.—THE HOUSE OF OLD UNCLE TOMMY BALL WAS ENTERED THURSDAY EVENING BY JOHN MEADOWS AND JIM CROW, A COUPLE OF NEGROES, WHO STOLE A PURSE CONTAINING ABOUT \$12. THEY GOT INTO THE HOUSE BY BREAKING IN AT A WINDOW. THEY WERE ARRESTED AND THE PURSE FOUND ON ONE OF THEM. THEIR TRIAL WAS SET FOR SATURDAY, BUT CONTINUED TILL YESTERDAY ON ACCOUNT OF THE ABSENCE OF THE ATTORNEY. THEY WERE TRIED YESTERDAY AND HELD IN \$100 EACH, FAILING TO GIVE WHICH THEY WERE SENT TO JAIL.

THE COLLEGE.—PROF. A. S. PAXTON, PRINCIPAL OF STANFORD FEMALE COLLEGE, HAS DECIDED NOT TO REMAIN WITH US ANOTHER SESSION. SINCE THE DEATH OF HIS WIFE HE HAS LABORED UNDER SERIOUS DIFFICULTIES AND HAS NOT BEEN ABLE TO MAKE THE SCHOOL THE FINANCIAL SUCCESS THAT HE MIGHT OTHERWISE HAVE DONE. HE IS A FINE TEACHER AND HAS HAD A SPLENDID FACULTY WITH HIM, CONSEQUENTLY HIS DECISION IS THE SUBJECT OF REGRET TO ALL WHO HAVE BECOME ATTACHED TO HIM AND THEM. THE TRUSTEES OF THE BUILDING ADVERTISE THE PROPERTY FOR RENT. TO A COMPETENT PERSON THE LOCATION OFFERS UNEXCEPTIONAL ADVANTAGES AND WE HOPE SUCH AN ONE WILL BE SECURED. THERE IS AN EFFORT TO INDUCE MRS. TRUEHEART, WHO SO SUCCESSFULLY CONDUCTED IT FOR A DOZEN YEARS, TO RETURN, BUT WE REGRET TO SAY THAT IT IS NOT LIKELY THAT SHE CARES TO RESUME SUCH A RESPONSIBILITY.

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HOUSE FOR RENT ON THE 10TH OF MAY FOR SMALL FAMILY. DR. J. F. PEYTON.

NICE LINE OF PLAIDS AND PLAIN DRESS GOODS JUST RECEIVED AT S. H. SHANKS'.

SEE NUNNELLEY BEFORE YOU SELL YOUR WOOL. HE WILL PAY AS MUCH OR A LITTLE MORE THAN ANYBODY.

THE DUST WAS SIMPLY STIFFING SUNDAY AND YESTERDAY TILL THE RAIN PROMISED BY THE SIGNAL SERVICE GOT IN ITS WORK.

THE INTERIOR JOURNALS BEAT THE PICKED UP NINE FRIDAY 13 TO 8. ALBERT SEVERANCE WAS CAPTAIN OF OUR NAMESAKE.

WANTED.—ALL FARMERS TO CALL AT METCALF & FOSTER'S TO SEE THEIR NEW DEERING MACHINES, THE LIGHTEST AND MOST DURABLE MADE.

LADIES, DON'T FORGET WHEN YOU ARE HOUSE CLEANING THAT WE HAVE A VERY NICE LINE OF WINDOW SHADES, LACE CURTAINS, CURTAIN POLES, &c., OWSLEY & CRAIG'S.

AS USUAL SOME NEW EVIDENCE IS PROMISED IN THE CARPENTER CASE WHICH IS TO CONVICT HIM BEYOND A DOUBT. BUT SOMEHOW OTHER IS NEVER CONVICTED.

DРИPPING SPRINGS WILL OPEN JUNE 16TH WITH A PICNIC AND BANQUET. THE GALA WEEK OF THE SEASON, SAYS PROPRIETOR SLAUGHTER, "WILL BEGIN WITH A GRAND 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION AND END ON THE 10TH WITH AN ELEGANT BIRTHDAY DINNER."

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HUSTONVILLE & COFFEE'S MILL TURNPIKE ROAD CO. WILL MEET AT DR. BROWN'S STORE IN HUSTONVILLE FIRST SATURDAY IN MAY, 1888, AT 10 O'CLOCK A.M. FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING A PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE ensuING YEAR.

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C. L. CARTER, President.

CLIFTON FOWLER, President.

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J. F. CASH, President.

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J. R. DAVIS, President.

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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The State Central Committee has designated Saturday, May 5th, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the assembling of mass conventions in each county, at the Court-House, for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State Convention, which meets in Lexington, May 16th. In compliance therewith, I hereby request the democracy of Lincoln to meet at the Court-House in Stanford at 1 o'clock p. m., on the 5th, for the purpose named.

J. E. LYNN, Ch'm.
By W. P. WALTON, Sec'y.

CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Rev. George W. Dunlap, Brother Barnes' good "Yorrick," is holding an interesting revival at Junction City.

—Richmond has 20 ministers—all denominations and colors. Paris has 15.—[Kentuckian] Stanford has but 5 residents, two white and three colored.

—Dr. William Taylor, Bishop of Africa, arrived in New York last week from the Dark Continent, where he has been for the past four years, establishing Methodist missions.

—The members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union propose to erect a building at Chicago, which will be the headquarters of the organization for the United States. It will cost about \$800,000.

—The Louisville Presbytery adopted a paper declaring that it is impolitic to agitate re-union until the Northern Presbyterian churches are ready to organize the colored Presbyterians into separate churches.

—The Frankfort auxiliary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held a memorial service Sunday in honor of Mrs. Joe Swigert, lately deceased, at which Mrs. Sallie C. Trueheart, corresponding secretary, read a loving tribute.

—The anti-organ people are tickled to death over Dr. Kendrick's sermon published in our last issue and we have already disposed of more than a hundred extra copies, which we printed in view of such a demand. Bro. Harrison Hocke says it is the only thing that has appeared in the paper for a long time that was worth reading.

How We Asked For Her.

Not many evenings since a well-known young man of this city asked an elderly gentleman for his daughter's hand in marriage. "My son," said the old gentleman, kindly, "if you love my daughter and she loves you, you have my consent. But let me say to you that you have also my sympathy. You are young and strong. You can earn a good living and your prospects are flattering. You need a wife just about as much as a cat needs two tails. Take my advice. Don't get married until you grow old and need a nurse. Then marry some strong, buxom young woman who can take care of you. Of course I know you will not listen to this, because like all young men, you are a damned fool. Still I feel it my duty to warn you. I married the young lady's mother and you are welcome to profit by my experience if you've got sense enough to do so." The youth was not scared off and the betrothal is likely to be announced at an early day, but he regards his prospective father-in-law as a very considerate and jolly old gentleman. —[Louisville Truth.]

THE KENTUCKY CHAUTAUQUA.—Those of our citizens who were fortunate enough to attend the Kentucky Chautauqua last year at Woodland Park, Lexington, will be pleased to learn that by the generosity of many of Kentucky's best citizens it has become a permanent institution and that Woodland Park has been purchased for its use. The Assembly are now erecting a large tabernacle in the park to be done by June 20. Its seating capacity will be between 3,000 and 4,000. The lecturers who have been engaged are the best in the land and everything will be done to make the session even more delightful than last year. The session continues from June 26 to July 6, 1888. Information as to terms &c., can be had of Col. R. E. Edmonson, 22 N. Upper St., Lexington, Ky.

To CLARABELLA.—Torn from the cloudy sky, the hue is given to thine eyes so blue. Her eyes: —

The colors of the sunset's glow are mantled in thy cheeks of snow. Her cheeks: ()

The richest gems of earth, dear girl, are rivaled by thy teeth of pearl. Her teeth: v v v

Around thy marble brow so fair in golden ringlets waves thy hair. Her hair: 8 8 8

Most lovely of thy charms, I ween, are thy sweet lips incarnadine. Her lips: —

Had I great wealth at my command I'd give it all for thy dear hand. Her hand: ()—[New York Graphic.]

The dedication of the \$7,000,000 State House of Texas is to take place with appropriate ceremonies May 16, at Austin. It is the largest State building in the country, and four feet higher than the capitol at Washington. The capitol was built with the proceeds of 3,000,000 acres of land sold.

Eggs and chickens are too valuable to be allowed to go to waste when Gant's chicken cholera cure is sold and warranted by McRoberts & Stagg. 2t

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.



PRINCE MESSENGER.

Bay stallion, 15 hands 3 inches high, foaled Oct. 1886, bred by H. C. Meek, Danville, Ky. Sired by Messenger Chief, sire of Maud Messenger 2 1/2 yrs. First dam a fast natural pacer, by Young America; 2d dam by Onstot's Telegraph pacer, Young America by Wake-Up Boy, 3rd record 2 2/6, dam by Old Stoner, sire of Onstot. Tom, by Sheldon's Telegraph pacer. He sired the Phenomenal Lucy Pope, record 2 35 1/2 and trial in 2 20. His breeding on dam's side is very much like Romeo Turned 2 15 1/2, their dams being of pacing mettle. The pacing blood has helped to produce Maud S. 2 08 1/2; Jay-Eye-See 2 10 and Nutwood 2 18 1/2.

Prince Messenger will make the season at

\$10 to Insure a Living Colt.

At my farm on the Somerset pike, two miles south of Stanford.

—My Jack—

PROCTOR KNOTT,

Has gotten all right and is now ready for service. I will stand him at \$12 50 for mares and for jennets at \$30 for a colt and \$15 for a jennet—to insure a living colt in each instance.

M. S. BAUGHMAN,

Stanford, Ky.

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THE FANCY SADDLE STALLION,

WALLACE DENMARK,

Foaled May 1, 1879, is a rich Mahogany bay, 15 1/2 hands high, heavy nature and tail; is strictly fine breed fancy and when driven in harness goes like a trotter. He is high-tail style on both sides to the third generation; is backed by thoroughbreds on both sides, making him very active and sprightly. He is a good trotter, and a good model. He was sired by Summer Denmark, he by Goddard's Denmark, he by Gaines & Crownell's Denmark, he by the race horse, Denmark, he by Imp. Hedgehog. His first dam was sired by Sir Imp. Prince, he by Todmerton's Arab, he by Alister, then by the celebrated Virginia, dam of Virginia, by Tramby, thoroughbred. He made a good rate at Lexington considering he was in no fix being fourth in 2 24 1/2.

Engleman & Farris, Lancaster, Ky.

BLUEMONT.

Bay stallion, 15 hands 2 inches high, will make the season of 1888 at the stables of Engleman & Farris, Lancaster, Ky.

\$12 50 TO INSURE A LIVING COLT.

Money due if mare is paired with. Last year was his first season, 1st of his colts have sold, they are fine and arge. Mr. Robert C. Conner has one and says it is the best co. ever foaled on his place. As the fears any one has ever had in regard to his colts, he has no fear of his colts. The colts he has are the ones he has had in his stable, the colts he has this year are prior to the contrary. Bluemont is by Alexander's Royal, sired by Imported Gencoue Thoroughbred; he out of Mid Wood by Imported Monarch d dam Ohio Eclipse, 3d dam by Long Is and Black Hawk. Last season he sired in shape he can trot a good track in 2 25. He trotted Mr. Conner's track when there five weeks in 2 27, the ast quarter in 3 seconds. Timed by Mr. Conner, he made a good rate at Lexington considering he was in no fix being fourth in 2 24 1/2.

Engleman & Farris, Lancaster, Ky.

22-1/2

ERICSSON, JR.

Second cousin to Maud S. Jay Eye-See and Nutwood.

Ericsson Jr. is by Ericsson Chief, by Membrino Paymaster, dam the dam of Goliath 2 10. His sons sired 22 and his daughters are the damas of 18 in the 2 10 list.

Ericsson Jr. has bred to Eric, record of 2 20, a stallion, and sold to Robert Conner at that age for \$10000.

First dam by Bedoc by old Pilot, sire of Pilot Jr. 2 10 1/2. Pilot Jr. sired dams of Jay-Eye-See 2 10, 2 10 1/2, Nutwood 2 10, and Lady Florne 2 12 1/2. Woodford Membrino 2 12 1/2, Brigadoon 2 12 1/2, Fisk & Membrino Chief 2 12 1/2, King Henry 2 12 1/2, Membrino Star 2 12 1/2, Membrino Pilot 2 12 1/2, North.

Ericsson Jr. is a solid black, 15 hands high and weighs 1200 pounds. He is a horse that recommends himself even if he had no pedigree, but possessing the blood that he does should make him one of the grandest stallions in Kentucky. Services free.

Engleman & Farris, Lancaster, Ky.

\$10 TO INSURE A MARE IN FOAL,

If payment is deferred till after weaning time, \$5 will be added. Parting with or moving mares renders money due. Will also stand my jacks.

PEACOCK, JR.,

At \$8 on same conditions as above with \$2 added if not paid before weaning time. He is 14 1/2 hands high, black with meany points and general makeup first-class.

E. S. POWELL,

Two and a half miles from Hustonville on the Hustonville and Liberty Turnpike Road, Lincoln County.

BRYAN, 6480,

AND—

RINGOLD,

BY METROPOLITAN, 1375,

Son of Rydysk's Hambletonian

Dam, JOETTE,

By BLOOD CHIEF, 792,

Sire of Fannie Robinson, 2 12 1/2.

Metropolitan, by Rydysk's Hambletonian, dam Hyacinth by Volund, granddam Clara, sire of Metropolitan, by Dicentra, 1st by American Star, dam of Acknowledged by all to be the most valuable horse ever foaled. His full sister, Rena Victoria, sold at the McFerran sale for \$7000, the highest price ever paid for a brood mare at public sale. Four more horses from the family of Bryan, none were ever hooked single sold at public sale for \$135 averaging \$660 so.

Blood Chief by Blood's Black Hawk; dam Diana by Scott's Highland, granddam of King Alister, by King Alister, 2nd by King Alister, 3rd by King Alister, 4th by King Alister, 5th by King Alister, 6th by King Alister, 7th by King Alister, 8th by King Alister, 9th by King Alister, 10th by King Alister, 11th by King Alister, 12th by King Alister, 13th by King Alister, 14th by King Alister, 15th by King Alister, 16th by King Alister, 17th by King Alister, 18th by King Alister, 19th by King Alister, 20th by King Alister, 21st by King Alister, 22nd by King Alister, 23rd by King Alister, 24th by King Alister, 25th by King Alister, 26th by King Alister, 27th by King Alister, 28th by King Alister, 29th by King Alister, 30th by King Alister, 31st by King Alister, 32nd by King Alister, 33rd by King Alister, 34th by King Alister, 35th by King Alister, 36th by King Alister, 37th by King Alister, 38th by King Alister, 39th by King Alister, 40th by King Alister, 41st by King Alister, 42nd by King 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